South Carolina Broadband Technology and Communications Study Committee

105 Gressette Building Columbia, South Carolina Wednesday, October 17, 2007

Minutes

Members Present: Luke Rankin, Brad Hutto, Dwight Loftis, Phil Owens, Robert Barlow, Neil Mellen, Ted Creech, Mikell Harper, Kevin Hall, Miriam Hair, Janet Claggett, Paul Koch, Mary Thornley, Gary Pennington, David Crouch, Katie Morgan, Catherine Morgan

Staff Present: Nancy Coombs, Jennifer Robinson

Senator Rankin called the meeting to order at approximately 10:25 a.m.

The study committee heard from the following persons:

Joe Mefford from ConnectKentucky provided information to the study committee regarding how ConnectKentucky operated in Kentucky.

Mark Bennett from Cisco provided information to the study committee regarding broadband mobility, access and availability.

Gary Salemme from Clearwire provided information to the study committee regarding their interest in the EBS spectrum.

Shane Muchmore from Sprint provided information to the study committee regarding their interest in the EBS spectrum.

Jeff Reid from Digital Bridge provided information to the study committee regarding their interest in the EBS spectrum.

The next meeting is scheduled for November 6, 2007, at 10:00 a.m.

Senator Rankin adjourned the meeting at approximately 1:30 p.m.